

Brief Contest Reports

Teams have the option of submitting a brief report for each of the following subjective Contest Activities:

- Architecture Design and Implementation
- Engineering Design and Implementation
- Market Appeal
- Web Site
- House Tours
- Electric Lighting and Daylighting Quality (combine into one report).

Before the Event begins, reports will be given to the Jury associated with each of the Contest Activities listed above. The Jurors will use the reports to get a preview of what they will be evaluating at the Event. The Organizers also may use the contents of these reports in Solar Decathlon communications materials.

If a team chooses to submit one or more of the reports, each report must meet the following requirements.

- The length, including all text, figures, tables, and equations, may be no more than the front and back sides of a single sheet of paper.
- The body text and captions must be in 11 pt. (or larger) font size.
- One electronic copy (Microsoft Word document or Adobe PDF) of each report must be uploaded to the appropriate team folder on the Solar Decathlon FTP site (ftp://ftp.nrel.gov/pub/solar_decathlon/Team_Folders/) or submitted to Mike Wassmer at michael_wassmer@nrel.gov on or before August 7, 2007. To be considered “on time,” the reports must arrive at their intended destination by 5 p.m. (Mountain time) on the due date. Late reports will have the number of days late noted on them before they are given to the Juries.